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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

A petition for a __ month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136 accompanies this transmittal in response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 13, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application, thus extending the time for response from January 13, 2002 to February 13, 2002.

The fee for new claims has been calculated as shown below.

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INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	8	=	0	X \$80	\$0.00		
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A petition for a one-month extension of time was previously filed via facsimile on January 15, 2002.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Honorable Sir:

This is a supplemental response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 13, 2001 (paper No. 6). This response, which supplements the Response to Restriction Requirement transmitted by facsimile on January 15, 2002, directs the replacement of that Response by the following Amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-50 without prejudice. Please add new Claims 51-62 as indicated.

51. (New) A binding compound comprising an antigen binding site from an antibody, which specifically binds to a mammalian IL-B30/p40 complex, said complex comprising an IL-B30 subunit (SEQ ID NO:2 or 4) and a p40 subunit of